

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.: 2004_0237A

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Title: DIGITAL BROADCAST RECEIVING APPARATUS, DIGITAL
BROADCAST APPARATUS, DIGITAL BROADCAST RECEIVING
METHOD, DIGITAL BROADCAST METHOD, AND DIGITAL
BROADCAST RECEIVING PROGRAM

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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2. ☐ Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages: 44]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Sequence Listing, a table, or a computer
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a. ☐ Computer Readable Form
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- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets: 19]

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a.2. ☒ Unexecuted
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named
in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)
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17. ☒ Other 1. Cover Letter for Application Filed Without Executed
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2. Claim of Priority Under 35 USC 119

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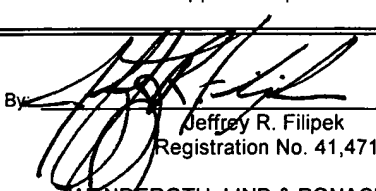
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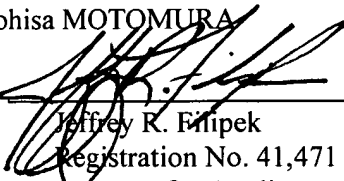
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